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i. Neuendorferstrasse prison, opposite Nikolai Cemetery, houses the main operative MVD group of Brandenburg. Guards number 80-100 men.

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j. Excelsior-Werke, Wilmersdorferstrasse: supply depot and repair shop for communications equipment, firearms, spare parts. The repair unit of 200-300 men

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k. Kloster Barracks: Wirtschaftskommandatura

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m. Estimated Brandenburg strength: 10,000 military, 2,000 dependents.

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2. Briest (Z-13)

a. Aircraft: approximately fifty planes resembling the ME-109 and ten RATA types.

b. bombardier school with 800 men.

c. Runways are being lengthened and covered with concrete. Training includes firing on tow sleeves. Prescribed altitudes are not observed, with the result that exercises take place near the Berlin air lift corridor.

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3. Kirchmßser (Z-12)

a. The tank repair unit of about 2,000 men

In addition to repairing tanks for Russian Zone troops, the unit repairs others from Kaliningrad, Brest-Litovsk, and the Russian interior. It is rumored that the depot will be shifted to Kaliningrad in the near future.

b. Among the Kirchmßser depot's customers are the following

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Halle
Brest-Litovsk
Weimar
Velten

Eberswalde
Ludwigslust
Jüterbog
Ludwigslust

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4. Signal Corps troops in camouflaged trucks were seen in the Görden area (Z-23) about 1 August. Four overhead field lines were set up between Görden and Rathenow, and it was expected that maneuvers would shortly take place in the Brandenburg-Rathenow area.

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